



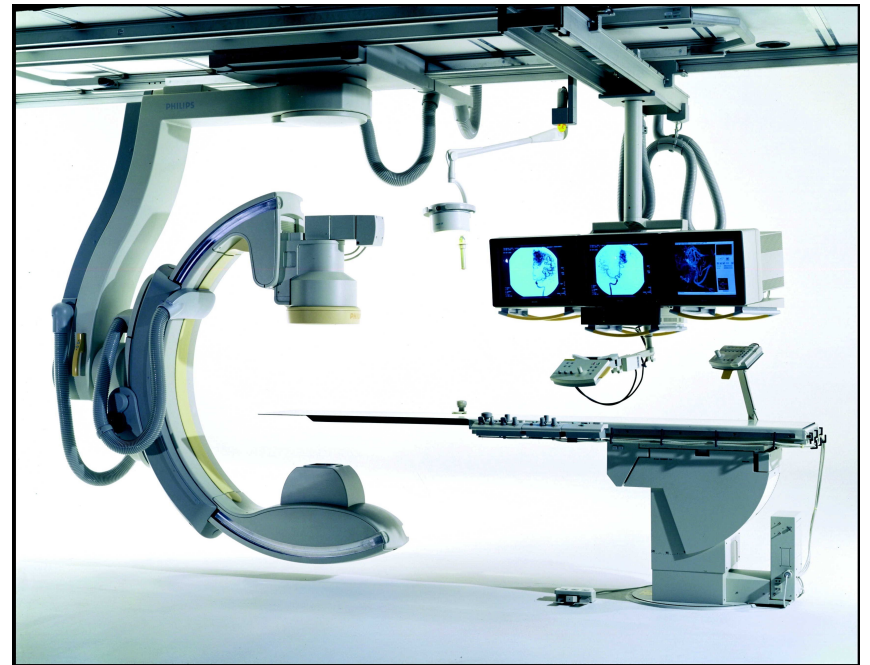
VA DoD Synchronization

Update



Mission

To seamlessly
distribute VA
MED/SURG pricelist
items to the DoD
for their use within
their application
systems for
purchase of those
items.





Events Gone By

- Teleconferences held between VA and DSCP on the data elements.
Conclusion is that the Interface Control Document (ICD) must be completed prior to any next steps.
- DSCP and VA discovered that the VA does not capture UOM's. This is needed in order to populate the DAPA systems.



Present Status

- A soft copy of an ICD has been sent to the VA for input.
 - Still working on the following information for DSCP
 - VA Data flow
 - Assumptions
 - Technical Requirements
- The VA data is still pending normalization and classification.



Present Status (Cont)

- Review of project and determine size compared to Pharmaceutical transactions to date.
- Presently there are 352 thousand items in NAC repository in electronic format. Over 90% are Med/Surg items.

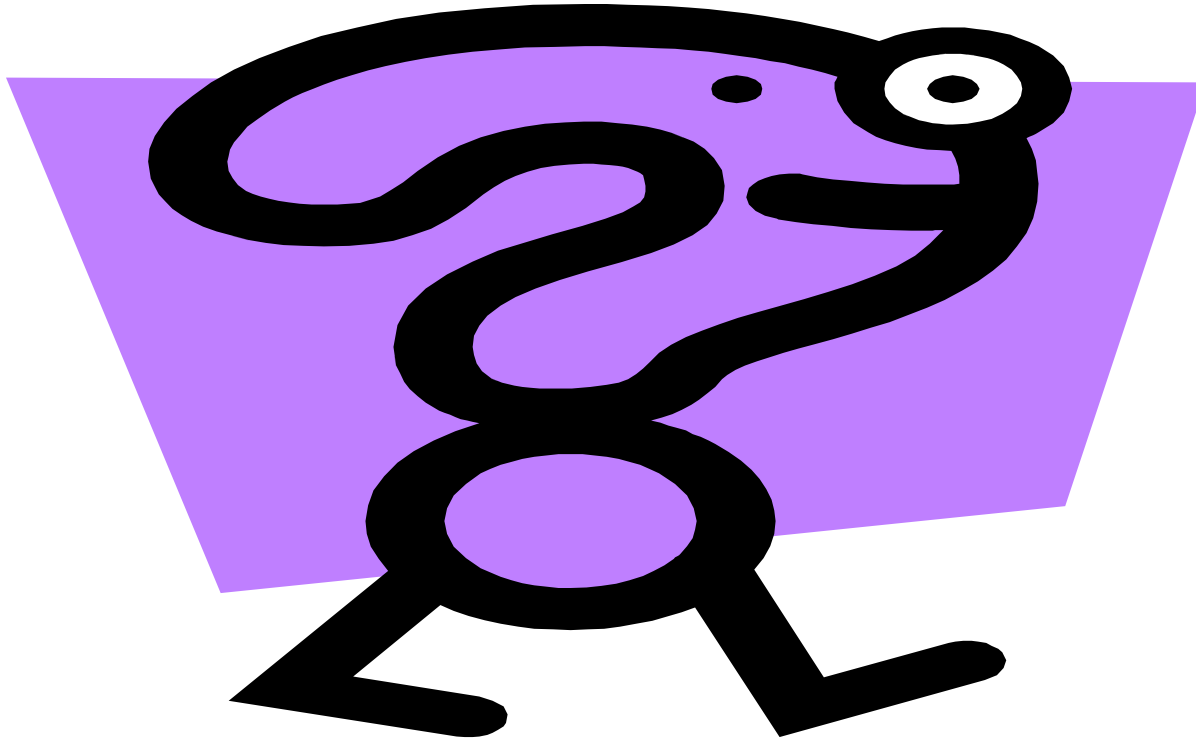


Next Steps

- VA is presently finalizing requirements for a searchable database tool. Once completed a solicitation will be compiled.
- Expected release of solicitation will be 45 days from completion of requirements barring any complications.



Questions





THANK YOU